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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Baumgart, et al.

Serial No.: 10/049,656

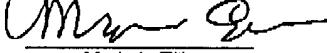
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For: OLIGOMERS AND POLYMERS ON  
THE BASIS OF DIETHYL-  
OCTANEDIOLS, METHOD FOR  
PRODUCING SAME AND THE USE  
THEREOF

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22202-3514  
Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of March 22, 2004 wherein  
pending claims 21-39 were rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view  
of the following amendments and/or remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, the Commissioner  
is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 any fees necessary for  
entry of this amendment.